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## Gift Suggestions

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Wednesday, Dec. 31,  
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### A Gym for the Juniors.

Mr. Clarence Leary, the manager of Stony's Junior hockey team, has converted his warehouse in the Brick Bask into a gymnasium, and has installed muscle-building apparatus, for the benefit of the town's youths in general, and of the members of his team in particular. The gym. is already enjoying a good patronage. Take a look in.

### The Christmas Cantata.

Under the direction of Mrs. Gates, the pupils at the United Sunday school are rehearsing for the Cantata, to be given in the church at Christmas time. The Cantata to be presented this season is on a much more elaborate scale than that usually given, and the rehearsing is so much more arduous. It will be presented at the evening service on Sunday, Dec. 21.

### Radio Interference.

At the meeting of Town Council last Thursday a petition was presented, from the owners and operators of radio sets in the town, asking the Council to have removed the transformers of the Calgary Power Co. from the centre of the town to some outside point. Two of the transformers are located at the corner of Railroad ave. and Main street, opposite the Royal hotel, and are said to cause much interference in the reception of the local radio receivers.

### Cost of Production versus Results.

Edmonton Bulletin: The wheat grower cannot do business at a loss. He cannot continue to do business on a price that would only give him back what he puts into a crop. If he is to have buying power he must have also a fair margin of profit over operating expenses. If he could not even secure his outlay, he would be prospectively bankrupt, and the whole business system of the Dominion would be in a precarious position.

### The Glee Club Dance.

To say that everyone had a good time at the dance in Stony on Friday night is putting it mild, as everyone had gone there with the intention of enjoying themselves, and succeeded—with the help of the good arrangements made for them by the Glee Club committee, and also with the help of the Moonlight Ramblers orchestra of Edmonton. Dancing was kept up till an early hour, and during the short intermission, dancers regaled themselves at the Royal Cafe, next door. The next of these popular dances will be given early in the new year.

Frolic & Novelty Dance  
at the Moose Hall,  
New Year's Eve, Dec. 31.



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House Slippers, Ladies' Rubbers, Fancy China, Boxed Chocolates, Silk Hosiery, Gift Lingerie, Hand Bags, Rubber Aprons, Tea Aprons, Bed Spreads, All-wool Blankets, Afternoon Tea Sets, Couch or Car Robes, Linen Tablecloths, Babies' Wool Sets.

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Having regard to the difficult times, we have made our prices specially low, and we know we can save you money.

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For Holiday Gifts,

## Cool Heads and Clear Thinking

There are times that test men. In the present economic conflict raging throughout the world, men are being put to the test just as truly as they were during the stress and strife of the Great War. There is tragedy and suffering now as there was then. And because of these conditions men and women today are very apt to allow their usual habits of thought and action to slip their moorings and to indulge in unconsidered, reckless thought, speech and action which in their more sober moments they would not only refuse to countenance in themselves but would condemn in others.

It is well that people should give serious consideration and study to the existing situation, not merely as individuals as they themselves may be affected, but collectively as a community in the interest of the welfare of all. It is well that difficulties should be made known, that just grievances should be clearly stated, that suggested remedies should be outlined, discussed, and, in the light of all the circumstances, action taken. Therefore, the many meetings being held throughout the country are a gratifying sign of an aroused public interest in the public welfare, but only so if their object is constructive, that is, to find a way out of difficulties, to better conditions, and not destructive in character leading to only greater confusion of thought and still greater chaos.

Public discussion calls for real leadership, thoughtful, sane and constructive. It is not the man who shouts the loudest, who berates everybody and everything, who calls for drastic action against this or that law or institution, who is the real friend of the country or of the people for whom he professes to be most sympathetic. This class of individual always comes to the front when men are discouraged and feeling in a more or less desperate mood. He does not attempt to appeal to their reason, but to their feelings and passions. He is not a true and safe leader, but a man bent on destruction, and generally quite incapable of advancing any sound constructive policy that is likely to be productive of good.

Attempts by agitators of this type to sway the feelings and passions of people in a word, to seek to capitalize upon the hardships which people may be temporarily undergoing, should not only be frowned down upon by the stalwart, right-thinking men and women of this country, but those last mentioned men and women, who are and always will be the real backbone of any country, should not hesitate to speak out boldly in opposition to the unsound and unwise advice and actions of these trouble makers.

Newspapers contain reports of meetings in different parts of the country at which, despite the protests and opposition of the more intelligent and far-seeing people present, resolutions are adopted demanding the adoption of certain policies and the taking of certain lines of action which, if carried into effect, instead of bettering conditions would only serve to prolong existing difficulties and make them infinitely worse. Speculation proposals, threats of boycotts, defiance of law and organized resistance to law officers, only add fire to flames already burning. They mean more, not less trouble and suffering. They contain no element of remedy.

In China, or in South American countries, revolution may still be the only method of successfully achieving reforms, and in the present world-wide depression, the expedient of revolution has been resorted to in these countries, but whether conditions will be bettered thereby, time alone will disclose. But in Canada, Great Britain, the United States, the people enjoy democratic political institutions which place the power of constitutional action right in their own hands. If present national, provincial or municipal policies are not sound and in the best interests of the masses, then the people themselves can right them. They may not be able to immediately correct all their economic difficulties, because in this world no one nation can govern its own economic conditions, much as it may strive to do so. But it can itself adopt those policies which it believes are best calculated to ease its difficulties, solve its problems, and advance the welfare of its people, not of one class or section alone, but the general interests of all.

It is to the evolution of such policies that the thought and energies of people should now be devoted; not in following blind leaders of the blind who would tear up and destroy on the vague promise that upon the wreckage so created they would build up something different, but in explanation of the exact nature of which they are so delightfully indefinite.

In conclusion, let it be repeated that there are times that test men. There are times that call for cool heads, clear-thinking; not for wild talk and a multitude of untried theories.

## Pensions For the Blind

**Saskatchewan Body Requests That Federal Government Be Asked To Take Action**

To ask the provincial government to petition the Federal Government for pensions for the blind in Saskatchewan, a delegation of members of the advisory board of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind met Premier Anderson at the parliament buildings, Regina, recently.

The delegation to the Saskatchewan Government is a result of the action taken by the Manitoba Government at its last session when they received a similar request for pensions for the blind in Manitoba from the Manitoba division of the institute.

The Saskatchewan delegation was composed of members of the advisory board of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind in Saskatchewan, assisted by Captain Baker, general secretary for the institute in Canada, and Major E. Flemons, general manager of the central west division with headquarters in Winnipeg. The chairman of the delegation was Dr. F. C. Middleton, who is the chairman of the Saskatchewan advisory board.

Deposits in savings banks in Germany are increasing.

England may change its horsepower tax on automobiles.

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Stop Aching-Drop Off  
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Corn Extractor

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## Apprehend Canada's Action

**United States Attorney-General Says Liquor Smuggling Driven From Canadian Border**

Liquor smugglers have been driven from the Canadian border to the high seas by the Canadian Anti-Export Act, United States Attorney-General Mitchell declares in his annual report issued at Washington.

"The Canadian action dealt a severe blow to border traffic when it amended the Export Act of May 30, 1936, and outlawed direct shipments of liquor from Canada to the United States," the report says. "The natural result of this restrictive legislation was to drive some additional professional smugglers to the high seas, where their activities would be more likely to succeed. The French possession of St. Pierre, Miquelon, which for a number of years has been the chief rendezvous and supply point for the liquor-smuggling fraternity off our eastern coast, has experienced a substantial increase in this form of business."

"It is also noteworthy that 25 of the 39 foreign liquor ships seized during the year were British. Vessels of this nationality still predominate in the trade, even though the chief smuggling base is French. Increased activity in Nova Scotia ports has been observed, because most of the vessels which operate in the smuggling trade out of St. Pierre are documented in Nova Scotia ports and are owned, at least ostensibly, by Canadian citizens."

"The hampering of the liquor smuggling traffic across the Canadian border has already been mentioned. This action on the part of Canada is real evidence of the desire of that nation to co-operate with us in the solution of our smuggling problem and is very highly appreciated."

Twenty-seven thousand seven hundred and nine persons went to jail for violation of the prohibition laws in 1936—5,017 more than in 1935 and 4,236 more cases were pending at the close of the year than at the close of the previous year.

"Enforcement of the National Prohibition Act," says the report, "showed improvement over 1935."

## May Go To Mexico

**Doukhobor Colony From Canada Reported To Be Negotiating With Mexican Authorities**

A despatch from Mexico City says that Peter Verigin and Aaron Shapiro, representatives of the Doukhobor colony of Canada, conferred with the secretary of agriculture regarding the possibility of 30,000 to 35,000 Doukhobors coming to Mexico if the government would help them to acquire land.

Verigin and Shapiro received the support of the executive committee of the National Confederation of Chambers of Commerce, and this group obtained the hearing before the secretary of agriculture.

It was said that if the Doukhobors came to Mexico they probably would settle in the northern portion.

**Makes Breathing Easy.** The constriction of the air passages and the struggle for breath too familiar evidence of asthmatic trouble, cannot daunt Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. This is the famous remedy which is known far and wide for its complete effectiveness even under very severe conditions. It is so untried, experimental preparation, but one with many years of strong service behind it. Buy it from your nearest dealer.

## Railway Crossing Accidents

**Nineteen Deaths From This Cause Recorded For September**

Deaths as a result of railway crossing accidents in September numbered 19, according to a report issued by the board of railway commissioners. There were 45 accidents and besides those killed 75 were injured. By provinces, accidents were: Prince Edward Island, 1; Nova Scotia, 3; New Brunswick, 5; Quebec, 12; Ontario, 10; Manitoba, 2; Saskatchewan, 3; Alberta, 5; and British Columbia, 4. Only three of the 45 accidents occurred at protected crossings.

The total for the month of all accidents in connection with railways was 123, in which two passengers, seven employees, and 41 others were killed.

Togo-Navia's population has just been estimated at 15,000,000.

Milner's Limestone for Frostbite.

## Was Weak and Run Down Could Scarcely Do Housework

Mrs. Edward A. Allen, Beacons, Alta., writes:—"I would like to tell you of the great benefit I have received from your Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I was feeling very much run down in health, and was so weak I could scarcely do my housework, in fact, I would have to lie down in the afternoon for an hour or so. I saw your Pills in the drug store and took a box home with me, and I was delighted with my renewed strength. I have recommended them to a neighbor and feel sure they will help her too."

Sold by all drug and general stores, or mailed direct, on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

## Artist Travels With Circus

**Dame Laura Knight Paints That Breeds Of the Big Top**

After travelling with a circus through England during the summer season, Dame Laura Knight has placed her paintings on exhibition in London. They are said to have made a sensation, those of people, animals and elephants being almost alive with color. Some of the sketches of behind the scenes are particularly vivid and spontaneous. When members of the circus troupe visited the exhibit they gave an acrobatic turn to show their appreciation. The fair artist travelled as a regular member of the troupe and shared their joys and hardships.

## No Permanent Depression

**Bank President Refers To the Soundness Of Our General Economic Condition**

"In this virile country of Canada with its abundant resources there can be no permanent depression," Sir Charles Gordon, president of the Bank of Montreal, stated in his address at the annual meeting of the bank at Montreal. Sir Charles' review of the business of the bank and of the Dominion during the past year contained that under all the circumstances Canadians could justly congratulate themselves upon the inherent vigor and soundness of their general economic situation.

Douglas' Egyptian Liniment is especially recommended for spider or infection of cow's test. Invaluable also in cases of sprains, curbs and splints.

## Older Than the World

A modest Scotchman, in speaking of his family, said: "The Douglas family is a terra firma and Scotch family. The line runs away back into antiquity. We think we have been here since the world was created."

Production of aeroplanes and aero engines in England is near a record peak.

## Postal Business Good

**Over 50 Million Canadian Postage Stamps Used Last Year**

More than 1,400,000,000 Canadian postage stamps were used last year, and if they were placed side by side they would stretch a distance of 19,756 miles, it was stated in the course of an address by Mr. C. G. Conway, vice-president of the British American Bank Note Company, printers of stamps for the Dominion Government, delivered at the eighth annual banquet of the St. Lawrence Stamp Collectors' Club of Montreal. About ninety tons of paper were used in the manufacture of these stamps, which were stuck on 1,400,000,000 envelopes with thirty-five tons of glue.

An excellent protection against worms can be got in Miller's Worm Powder. They render the stomach and intestines untenable to them. They heal the surfaces that have become inflamed by the attacks of the parasites and serve to restore the strength of the child that has been undermined by the draughts that the worms have made upon it, and their operation is altogether health-giving.

## Report Is Denied

**No Embargo Planned On Grain Shipments To Vancouver**

Speaking for the Canadian Pacific Railway, there is no intention under the present and immediately prospective conditions to place an embargo on grain shipments moving by the company's lines to Vancouver. This statement was made by W. M. Neal, general manager, Canadian Pacific Railway, western line, in commenting upon an item appearing in the press predicting "strong possibility" of the railways declaring a grain embargo in British Columbia.

**Relieve Your Cold with Miltard's Mucilage.**

## What Science Has Done

Science has changed things a whole lot. Nowadays if a man has a pain in his right toe or a twitch in his left arm or a set of slightly twisted eyes, it's off to the dentist for him. His teeth come out—painlessly—and their room and place is taken by a hand-made set of Crown Derby that produces pain only in the pocket.

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Keep kids quiet longer by covering them with Pare-San.

Use Pare-San to keep Dad's lunch easily fresh.

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## Line Of Profitable Exploitation In Northern Areas Being Rapidly Pushed Backward

No doubt many people heard of the Sverdrup Islands for the first time when they read that this Arctic group now belonged to Canada. The Dominion has paid Commander Otto Sverdrup the sum of \$47,000 in return for his exploratory services in that region from 1896 to 1903, and in return the Government of Norway fully recognizes Canadian sovereignty, which now covers the entire Arctic sector north of the Canadian mainland.

The Sverdrup group has a total area about equal to that of Nova Scotia and according to Commander Sverdrup, who is corroborated by Inspector Joy, it holds a peculiar species of rabbit which marches upright on its hind legs. Otherwise the islands seem to be notable chiefly for the fact that they are our farthest-north properties, 200 miles beyond the Arctic Circle.

So Commander Sverdrup has his \$47,000 and we have the islands, and everybody seems to have come out of the deal with profit with the exception of the Government of Norway, and it is not complaining. We do not quite know what we are going to do with the islands. There appears to be no practical advantage in a rabbit which walks on its hind legs, and at the moment this Arctic is not a convenient summer resort. Nevertheless it is well that Canada's northern regions should be rounded off by legal possession of this group. Recalling the extraordinary manner in which the line of profitable exploitation has been pushed backward in recent years, few would care to predict that Sverdrup's discoveries are worthless. A few years ago Hudson and James Bays were far beyond the bounds of civilization—and now there is a railroad to Churchill and next year the rails are going to Moose Factory. The future may hold for the Arctic regions advances as lively just as sensational; and the headlines a good paper readers—will have consulted the atlas and will know just a little bit more about the receding North.—Ottawa Journal.

### Decrease In Fall Plowing

Only 24 Per Cent. As Compared With 46 Last Year

Fall plowing was not so good this year as last. A crop report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics states: "For all Canada the proportion of land intended for next year's crops that had been plowed at October 31, 1930, is estimated at 24 per cent., as compared with 46 per cent. in 1929, and 29 per cent. in 1928. By provinces, the proportions for 1930 are as follows, with the corresponding figures for 1929 within brackets: Prince Edward Island, 66 (75); Nova Scotia, 32 (48); New Brunswick, 13 (58); Quebec, 74 (78); Ontario, 40 (53); Manitoba, 40 (54); Saskatchewan, 21 (19); Alberta, 9 (43); British Columbia, 43 (44)."

### A National Undertaking

The B.C. Telephone Company has announced the beginning of construction of British Columbia's link in a complete trans-Canada telephone system. The provincial link will cost \$1,250,000. All Canadian telephone companies are co-operating in this national undertaking.



"Your little boy has stolen a cake at the baker's."  
"Told you naughty boy—stealing at your age."—Moultou, Charlot.

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### Russia Buys Hogs

Purchased Twenty Thousand Pigs From Germany

Twenty thousand pigs, worth several million marks, have been bought by the Soviet Government from German farmers and transported to Russia via Poland in sealed railway wagons. The Soviet is paying 30 per cent. of the purchase price in cash and the rest on a credit guaranteed by the German Government. The pigs are to be used for breeding purposes, it is said, but it is believed in Germany that most of them will eventually find their way into the Russian slaughter houses.

### Encourage Poultry Raising

Booklet To Be Sent Out This Winter To Saskatchewan Breeders

Between 3,000 and 4,000 poultry breeders of Saskatchewan will receive this winter a catalogue booklet to assist them in their work, according to arrangements made by the Saskatchewan Poultry Breeders' Association executive. The catalogue will contain the names of owners of "record of performance" flocks, of which there are from 15 to 18 in the province, approved flock breeders and turkey breeders.



(By Mrs. A. Tinsley).



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### ATTENTION SCHOOL GIRLS!

All Tinsley models are created and sketched in Paris and the patterns are made in New York.

If you'd like to look really smart, you must have a woollen frock with a bolero jacket.

For hardy wear, feather weight tweed offers a marvelous possibility, to say nothing of its decided chic. It is adorable in Bordeaux-red mixture with a blouse of plain white linen or wool jersey.

The all-round box-plaited skirt, belted at the normal waistline, is so pretty and girlish. The blouse has long sleeves, so the little bolero jacket may be removed when too warm in the classroom.

Wool challis prints, wool jersey crepe, patterned and plain woollens, covert cloth and tweed-like cottons are suitable for this practical model.

This pattern may be obtained in sizes 8 to 14. It is ready for immediate delivery. It is hand cut.

Send 25 cents (in stamps or coin) to Fashion Bureau. Write carefully and plainly your name and full address, the number of the pattern and the size you want.

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### Policy To Help Agriculture

Constructive Policies Are Outlined By Federal Minister Of Agriculture

Great increase in pork production in Canada on account of the great attention was paid by Hon. Robert Weir, Federal Minister of Agriculture for Canada at a recent banquet in Toronto given by him on behalf of the Federal Government to agriculturists, business executives and government representatives attending the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair. Mr. Weir outlined a constructive policy for promoting greater prosperity for agriculture in Canada, emphasizing quality production. For improvement of live stock the Canadian Government will supply stores where demand justifies, arranging change of location after two years and will supply breed sows of known type at cost to farmers, and hopes to import outstanding sires of different breeds of horses. It is also proposed to set up laboratories available at nominal fees to eradicate disease from poultry and to take effective steps to prevent importation of disease. Hon. Mr. Weir advocated more scientific methods of feeding, using home grown feeds and attention to science of marketing, as measures calculated to insure Canada's continuous and increasing importance in agricultural production.

### Not the Last Word

Commercial Fish May Yet Be Found In Northern Bay

The report of fish sterility in the deeper waters of Hudson Bay is not the last word in that important respect. There remain the shallower depths of James Bay, the estuary of immense inland streams where various species—and many fish—exist and have been taken. The same condition exists in Northern Manitoba where salt and fresh water commingle, where food is washed into the inlets and stream mouths. Fish in commercial quantities have been taken there.

### Strong Canadian Wood

Tests made by the Forest Products Laboratories, of the Forest Service, Department of the Interior, Canada, show Douglas fir to be one of the strongest and stiffest of Canadian woods.

## New And Unique Mineral Found In Alberta May Have Far Reaching Possibilities

### Crate Feeding Pays

Many Good Reasons Why Crate Feeding Of Poultry Is Profitable

Some very good reasons why crate feeding poultry pays are supplied by the Division of Poultry Husbandry of the Dominion Experimental Farms, among which are the following:—

Crate feeding pays because it produces the milked grades which bring the best prices.

The leading wholesale merchants are now buying poultry by government grades, with substantial differentials between each grade.

The premium assured for birds which grade "Milked" makes crate feeding well worth while.

All poultry intended for eating purposes should be properly finished before being marketed.

The farmer should crate feed because: It is the only way by which he can get the premium assured for milked poultry; the last pound, which brings the finish, costs the least to produce and increases the value of the bird by from 50 to 75 cents or more; it is the best way in which to properly finish poultry for market.

The consumer wants milked poultry because: It is the milked grades alone which give assurance of the quality which satisfies; it gives him the best value for his money in tender succulent chicken; it comes from the oven tender, juicy and sweet, the kind of bird he really likes to eat.

### Manitoba Butter

Sixty Carloads Shipped This Year To Toronto Market

M. A. Gibson, provincial dairy commissioner, states that since 1915 nearly \$20,000,000 worth of creamery butter has been shipped out of Manitoba, the peak being reached in 1925, when 260 carloads valued at \$2,507,000 were shipped. This year 60 carloads have been shipped to the Toronto market where Manitoba creamery butter commanded a premium over the local product.

### Represent Went at Royal Winter Fair



Swine Club Judging Champions, representing the Western Provinces, made a clean sweep of the judging contests at the Royal Winter Fair, held recently at Toronto. The photograph shows the winners of the four western provincial titles and the winners of the Dominion Championship in Swine and Calf Judging. The teams from Alberta were successful in defeating teams from all other provinces of the Dominion in Calf and Swine Club work and also captured the coveted Ross Trophy for Swine Club Judging and the W. J. Black Trophy for Calf Club Work. From left to right the photograph shows: Top row: E. E. Stovman, special

representative, Agricultural Dept., Canadian National Railway, Vancouver, B.C.; Avery McConnell, Winston, Sask.; Ivan McDonald, Winston, Sask.; T. P. Deville, superintendent of farm employment, Canadian National Railway. Second row: W. E. Schmidt and Robert Wylie, of Vegreville, Alta., Dominion Champions in Swine Club Judging, and Gordon and Vernon McNeight, of Camrose, Alta., Dominion Champions in Calf Club Judging. Bottom row: Bill Perry, Armstrong, S.C.; Agnes Creighton, McConnell, Man.; Eddie McConnell, McConnell, Man.; and Arthur Nash of Armstrong, B.C. —Photo Canadian National Railway.

Long and somewhat secreted laboratory investigations are expected, shortly, to add a new mineral to the roster of the Dominion's products. Though research was carried on in university and industrial laboratories in the west, principally Toronto, manufacturers in it to study in the west.

The mineral is vermiculite, or as it is more commonly known, zonolite. Its potential uses are chiefly as insulation and as an acoustical treatment in buildings.

Specimens of the raw material seen in Calgary, were, in appearance and to touch, like crude mica of dark green color. It is a silicate and insoluble in most acids. Coming from the mine, it varies in size from dust to pieces several square inches in area.

In the raw form, it weighs 144 pounds to a cubic foot. But, once bent to applied to it, it expands enormously till it has a bulk weight of approximately 10 pounds per cubic foot. It is this peculiar characteristic, research workers say, which gives it its commercial possibilities. It also changes in color to a lustrous gold. In Calgary, tests have been made by grinding the mineral over different size wire screens, then firing it in a 30 ft. kiln.

"The economic value of zonolite," says Angus Graham, Toronto research engineer, who came west to aid in the experiments, "is attributable to its thermal and sound insulating properties. Its ability to withstand high temperatures, its light weight and pleasing appearance.

He goes on to say that not only does it not burn but that tests show that it does not readily transmit heat. Canadian experiments are supported by highly technical investigations carried on by the Bureau of Standards at Washington. The mineral was used as high temperature insulation for bake ovens and dry kilns, pipes and boilers.

Tests made by Prof. G. R. Anderson, of the University of Toronto, in his laboratory there demonstrated zonolite's ability to absorb sound. The eastern scientist used it in the form of a lustrous gold plaster, three-quarters zonolite, one quarter wood pulp. His research shows that, at a tone frequency of 512, it has a sound absorptive coefficient of .36.—In other and non-technical words, it soaks up sound and noise to a degree that makes it so feasible in treating this nuisance in buildings. Since psychologists are, at the same time, reporting the adverse effect of too much noise on the human system, the discovery of the mineral is timely.

So far, chief sources of supply are in the United States, but traces of the material have already been found in Canada and these are being carefully followed up. Potential development is largely due to the work of Canadian engineers and scientists.

Possibilities of the mineral were discovered by accident. E. N. Alley, while prospecting an old mine shaft for molybdenum and vanadium, placed a miner's candle in the wall of the shaft. It touched a projecting piece of vermiculite. Noticing, with surprise, the expansion and change of color under the flame, he took samples. This led to the development.

Research work has been carried on with no publicity. Only now have the results been issued to technical papers. Nor will any of those linked with the work make claims for anything revolutionary. They simply list the characteristics of a new and unique mineral, expressing the opinion that it will soon be utilized commercially, and generally. It has already been tested in the west as an acoustic treatment on theatres. One large Canadian concern is, however, sufficiently impressed by the results to sponsor continued experiment and test manufacturing processes in the west.

### Heavy Wheat Shipment

A consignment of 300,000 bushels of wheat has been sold to the Mexican Government on behalf of the Canadian Wheat Pool. The deal was put through by the Canadian trade commissioner in Mexico, according to an announcement made at the office of Hon. M. H. Meyers, Dominion Minister of Trade and Commerce.

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### WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

"Tontale," claimed by her owners to be the "world's oldest cat," is dead at Winnipeg. She was 23 years old. There are no survivors.

The net value of Britain's national wealth is now \$90,325,000,000 according to Sir Josiah Stamp, noted economist, who in 1914 put the figures at \$71,850,000,000.

The total estimated wealth of the prairie provinces is \$7,350,000,000, according to a statistic analysis issued by the industrial development board of Manitoba. This is 25.51 of the Canadian total.

The United States and France are shown by the bulletin of the Federal Reserve for November to control the World's supply of gold. Together the two countries hold about 60 per cent. of all yellow metal.

Defending his country's policy in India, Sir Ronald Lindsay, as guest of honor at a dinner in New York, called the relations between Great Britain and India the most pacific in their history.

Juvenile immigration into Canada will be limited to actual demands, it was decided at a conference attended by federal and provincial government representatives and those of interested societies.

The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, organized a year ago, now has a constitution, set of by-laws and a code of ethics, all of which have been ratified by the fellows of the college.

A hostel is to be opened in Ottawa by the Canadian Legion to provide shelter for veterans of the Great War now in poor circumstances. It will have 50 to 100 beds and a free lunch counter.

Eighty-eight years of age, "Jerry" Robinson, one of Winnipeg's most noted pioneers and business men, died at his home, following an illness of only two days. He succumbed to an attack of pneumonia.

Vice-Admiral Sir Arthur Kipling Walsell, present commander-in-chief of the China station, has been appointed to succeed Admiral of the Fleet, Sir Roger Keyes, as commander-in-chief at Portsmouth.

Prince George Bibesco, of Rumania, was elected president of the International Aeronautic Federation, succeeding the Comte de la Vaulx, who was killed in an aeroplane accident in the United States last fall.

Germany has made a demand before the preparatory disarmament commission that a general disarmament conference be called for November 2, 1931. No discussion on the suggestion took place.

The location of 40 families on 14,000 acres of good land between Meriville and Oyster River on Vancouver Island, one of the biggest land settlement projects ever undertaken in British Columbia, is under consideration by the C.P.R.

Between 10 and 15 per cent. of northern Saskatchewan's wheat is still unthreshed, according to a report issued by the soldier settlement board at Prince Albert. Thousands of acres of grain will remain under snow till spring.

#### Tree Seed Planted From Air

The forestry department of Hawaii has been engaged this season in planting tree seed by aeroplane. A U.S. army plane was used on the job. It was flown over a large seeded area and 1,000 pounds of seeds were dropped from an elevation of 2,000 feet. Mixed seed was used.

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### Bar Convict Labor Goods

United States Takes Action To Prevent Importation Of This Nature

The Treasury promulgated regulations against the importation of convict-made goods, while a witness was telling the House Committee investigating committee how prisoners fare in Soviet camps.

The regulations require importers and shippers to show that importations from all countries are not produced by convict labor.

Russian goods have figured in several recent hearings at which the treasury was asked to bar certain products, but in announcing the regulations, Assistant Secretary Lowman said they were "not directed against Russia, but against everybody." They were issued under a law which required importers to post bond and submit a certificate of origin showing unpaid convicts did not manufacture the articles.

### May Tax U.S. Publications

Federal Government Likely To Impose Some Form Of Duty

The Montreal Gazette published the following despatch from Ottawa.

"A determined effort to lessen what amounts to unfair competition for Canadian manufacturers is almost certain to be made by the present government in its revision of the tariff for the coming session, by imposing some form of duty against periodicals entering Canada and bearing a large amount of advertising of foreign-made goods. Such a blow would be aimed at large weekly publications from the United States, and it is expected that the duty will be imposed on a percentage basis, and that the publishers will be required to furnish advance copies of their publications to the department of national revenue for purpose of appraisal.

### Fostering Home Industry

Saskatchewan Caught Fish To Be Used In Provincial Institutions

With a view to fostering the fishing industry in the northern part of the province, the government is substituting Saskatchewan-caught whitefish for the British Columbia product, formerly used in the mental hospital at Weyburn, the industrial school, Regina, and the old folks home, Wolseley.

The government has also written to the secretary of the Anti-Tuberculosis league suggesting the introduction of the Saskatchewan-caught whitefish in the sanatoria at Fort Qu'Appelle, Prince Albert and Saskatoon.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

DECEMBER 11

PAUL OF TARSUS — NOW A PHARISEE BECAME A CHRISTIAN

Golden Text: "I count all things to be loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord: for whom I suffered the loss of all things, and do not count them but refuse, that I may gain Christ." — Philippians 3:8.

Lesson: Acts 22:3-18.

Devotional Reading: Isaiah 61-7.

#### Explanations and Comments

Paul's Birthplace and Education, verse 3.—Paul had been charged with being an enemy of the Jews and that law, and he began by declaring that he was a Jew through and through, born in Tarsus of Cilicia but educated in Jerusalem, having been taught by the great Rabbi Gamaliel "according to the strict law of our fathers," and that he was as zealous for God as they all now were.

The Arrested, verses 4-9.—In his zeal Paul had persecuted those of the "Way," he told the mob in Jerusalem, blinding and sending men and women to prison. The high priests and elders could bear witness that he had received letters giving him authority to make arrests, and armed with these he had started for Damascus that he might bring back to Jerusalem for punishment the followers of Christ whom he might find there.

Paul was very near Damascus, after a long journey of one hundred and fifty miles, when suddenly at noon an extraordinary light shone about him and he fell to the ground.

Voice and answer followed. "Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou Me?" "Who art Thou, Lord?" "I am Jesus of Nazareth, whom thou persecutest." Instant Obedience, verses 10, 11.—"What shall I do, Lord?" was Paul's humble question. He believed in Christ. He had instantly turned from a persecutor to a follower, and given himself to his new Master's service. To know what Christ would have him do became thereafter the one desire of his heart, for he was the bond-servant of Christ; to him to live was Christ.

"Arise, and go into Damascus," was the answer. There he would learn what he was to do. The glory of the light had blinded him, and he was led by the hand like a little child.

Commissioned, verses 13-15.—There in Damascus Ananias, a devout and highly esteemed man, came to Paul and called him Brother. "Brother Saul," he said, "receive thy sight." And Paul looked up and saw him. It was God who had given him this vision and message. Ananias told him, and he was to be a witness for Christ unto all men.

#### Solid Witness

The practice of establishing concrete monuments—known as fundamental bench marks—by the Geodetic Survey of Canada, Department of the Interior, in the course of its work in taking the elevation of the country above sea-level was inaugurated in 1926.

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### Beauty Aids Butter Import

Because Australia Can Compete With Canadian Product Says Candler

The reason Australian butter can compete on the Canadian market is because there is a bounty of about nine cents on every pound exported, thus giving the Australian exporter leeway in price-cutting, according to J. A. Candler, former president of the National Dairy Council of Canada.

Mr. Candler pointed out that for every four pounds of butter produced in Australia, one pound was for export.

The speaker pointed out that 60 per cent. of the Canadian West was suitable for dairy production, and he strongly recommended introduction of more mixed farms in the West to overcome the present wheat depression.

### Plotting Against Soviets

Reports State Lame Trotsky Is Directing Operations

Despatches to the Telegraphs Union from Kovno, Lithuania, recently said the Ogya (Soviet secret police), had discovered an elaborate plot by anti-Communist factions in South Russia with headquarters at Taganrog.

The report said the plotters were acting under the direct advice of the exiled Leon Trotsky, who was reported to be at Istanbul, with the object of overthrowing the Stalin government.

#### An Ice Cream Tree

One tree in the greenhouse of Mrs. M. A. Horn of Memphis, Tenn., is very popular with the children. It bears a fruit that "tastes like strawberry ice cream and looks like corn." It takes the ears 18 months to ripen, according to Mrs. Horn, who got the tree from a St. Louis florist six years ago. The berries are soft and mushy and very rich.

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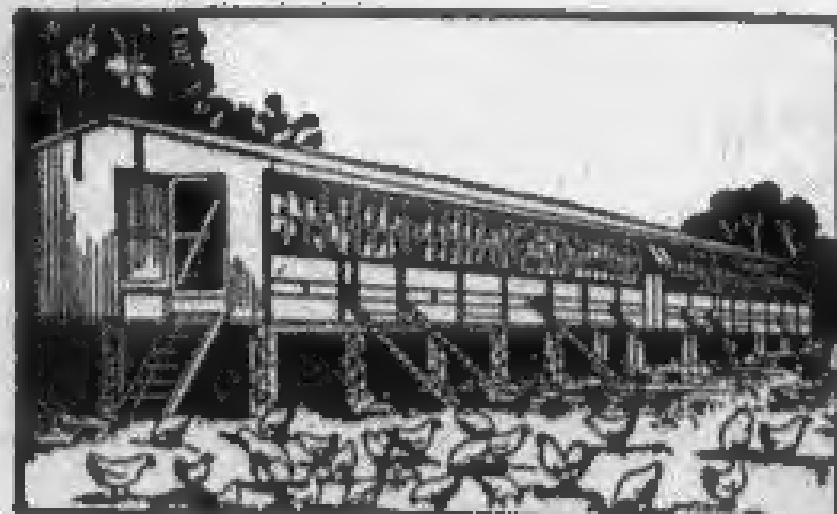
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## HERMAN TRELLE AGAIN WINS THE WHEAT TITLE

Chicago.—Canada's fame as the wheat producing country in the world was again maintained when Herman Trelle, the modest agriculturist of Wembley, Alberta, in the northern Peace River district, was once again crowned "wheat king" at the Chicago International Hay and Grain Exposition.

Repeating his success of 1924 when he brought the Peace River area to world attention as a premier agricultural producing district, Trelle, who four years ago won the title of world's oats king as well as the wheat crown, has again marked his victory with an exhibit of hard red spring grain.

It was a double victory for Canada, however, as George Avery, of Kelso, Sask., in the heart of the prairie grain growing belt, was declared the reserve champion. He exhibited sample of Durum, white, to the surprise of eminent grain authorities in attendance at the International, beat out the championship hard red winter samples, the best in their class, of C. Edson Smith, a former "wheat king" of Corvallis, Montana.

The Canadians were recipients of congratulations from all parts of the continent, and especially from western Canada and the home provinces of the winners.

Trelle's championship was the sixth for Canada in the 12 years of the International show. The other six times, it has gone to growers from Montana, the veteran C. Edson Smith being the only other grain man twice-crowned king of the wheat lands. It was also the first time that a soft Durum variety, as entered by Avery, had won a major award, the reserve championship.

Featured by perfect uniformity and balanced content, the exhibit of the newly crowned monarch of wheat weighed 87.3 pounds per bushel, a record weight. The reserve championship grain weighed 81.1 pounds to the bushel, and also was of perfect uniformity. Trelle considered his winning samples the best he has ever exhibited.

### By-Election Won By Labor

Voting in Whitechapel Favors the Government Candidates

London, England.—James Hall, Labor party candidate, won the by-election for Whitechapel recently.

The results of the polling were, James Hall, Labor, 5,544; Barrett Jagger, Liberal, 7,445; T. L. E. R. Guinness, Conservative, 3,735; Pollitt, Communist, 3,106.

The victory represented a greatly reduced majority for Labor. Labor's vote of 5,544 out of the total of 21,830 compares with the 12,701 ballots cast for the party, out of 21,439, in 1928.

Whitechapel, comprising, for the most part, one of the so-called poor sections of London, had returned Labor candidates in 1923, 1926 and 1929, and each time with a large majority. The majority of Harry Gosling, Labor nominee, in the general election of 1929 was 9,186, one of the largest in the Kingdom. The vote then was: Gosling, 13,701; Sedgewick, Liberal, 4,521, and T. L. E. R. Guinness, Conservative, 3,417.

### Fair Dates Selected

Chicago, Ill.—Following is a partial list of Canadian fair dates selected at the meeting of the Showmen's League of America and the International Association of Fair and Exposition managers. Calgary Exhibition, Calgary, Alberta, July 8 to 13; Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, August 26, September 12; Edmonton Exhibition, Edmonton, Alberta, July 13 to 18.

### Extra Staff Employed

Ottawa, Ont.—The Post Office Department is this year providing a considerable quota of jobs for the unemployed. To take care of the Christmas rush of mail, an extra staff of 2,800 men has been given positions in the post offices throughout Canada. Preference has been given to returned men who are married.

## Constitution For India

Plan Is Gradually Taking Shape At Round Table Conference

London, England.—In rough outline, a federal constitution for India is gradually appearing in the discussions of the round table conference. It is emphasized in authoritative quarters that no decision have been reached as yet. The scheme appears only in skeleton form. Everything still is in the tentative stage.

But discussion in the conference, sitting as a federal relations committee, is turning on these subjects as coming within the domain of India's proposed new federal authority.

1. Shipping, navigation, and navigating services.
2. Salt.
3. Currency and coinage.
4. Trade, commerce and banking.
5. Control of opium cultivation.
6. Control of petroleum and explosives.
7. Geological survey.
8. Invention, designs and copyright.
9. Migration from and into India, and interprovincial migration.
10. Traffic in arms and ammunition.
11. Survey, meteorological services, census and statistics.
12. Immovable property in the possession of the government of India.
13. Federal public services.

Indian princes, rulers of their own states, and representatives of British India alike agree that all the above are matters of common concern. It is the policy of the conference, therefore, in plotting out the new federal authority, to consider them first.

Consideration of four other vital subjects has been deferred. These are: First, defence of India and all matters connected with the army and navy, including naval and military works and cantonments; second, external affairs, including the naturalization of aliens, and pilgrimages beyond India; third, relations with the states in India; and, fourth, political charges.

### Flour Price Probe

Department Will Have Co-Operation Of Large Milling Companies

Ottawa, Ont.—Further inquiry into flour prices in Canada will be made by the Department of Labor, and in this inquiry the department has been offered the full co-operation of the great Canadian milling companies. Announcement of the continued investigation was made by Senator G. D. Robertson, Minister of Labor, at the conclusion of a two-hour conference with representatives of seven large Canadian milling companies of the Dominion.

"It is probable that a report summarizing the results of the labor department's inquiry by registrar into bread prices will be completed in the not distant future," said Senator Robertson, "and the offer to furnish all desired information, volunteered by the millers, will be accepted. The flour inquiry will be pursued further as rapidly as possible, it being obvious that many factors enter into the matter which must be the subject of full inquiry and consideration before a definite departmental decision can be made as to whether or not an inquiry by commissioner will be necessary in the public interest."

### Assembly Completes Work

Disarmament Commission Adopts League To Set Date For Conference

Geneva, Switzerland.—Completing its task of drafting a general disarmament scheme for consideration by a world conference the preparatory commission invited the council of the League of Nations to set a date for this momentous assembly at Geneva.

The commission rejected an offer by Germany to have the commission recommend the specific date of November 5, 1933, for convening the general conference.

Canada lost a fight to delete from the article military planes and personnel used in civil work, such as patrolling forests and carrying aid to distressed citizens in remote places. The Canadian plan was supported by the United States and it is understood some arrangement will be reached at the general conference to meet the wishes of both countries.

## HEAVY GRAIN CARRY-OVER HAS BEEN DISPOSED OF



Dr. C. F. Martin, dean of faculty of medicine, McGill University, president of Canadian national committee on mental hygiene, who was principal speaker at a meeting in Convocation Hall, Toronto.

## HEAVY GRAIN CARRY-OVER HAS BEEN DISPOSED OF

Port Arthur, Ont.—The statistical situation as far as Canada's wheat crop is concerned is in a good condition, according to E. B. Ramsay, chief grain commissioner for Canada, who arrived in Port Arthur. "We have a high quality crop to sell and the movement has been fairly free," he said, explaining that between 5,000,000 and 7,000,000 bushels were being shipped to Europe every week.

The heavy carry-over of approximately 100,000,000 bushels of last year has been disposed of, Mr. Ramsay explained, and if the present shipments to Europe can be kept up to the end of the season, the carry-over for next year will be back to normal. There was every likelihood that this would be the case, depending to some extent on the quality of the Argentine wheat, which will come on the market in February.

Dumping of Russian wheat on the British market had its effect, Mr. Ramsay stated, but he pointed out that the Russian surplus had been exhausted and the situation from now on would not likely be disturbed by anything the Russians could do.

Although pointing out that his department had nothing to do with the marketing of the grain crop, Mr. Ramsay said "I feel we are at the bottom of it now. No one can really tell what is going to happen, but I believe there will be a gradual change for the better."

## Britain Protests Radio Speech From Russia

Regarded As Direct Violation Of Anti-Propaganda Agreement

London, England.—The British government will send a formal protest to Moscow against a radio speech broadcast from the Soviet capital, Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, foreign secretary, informed the House of Commons.

The speech, he said, is regarded as "inciting British workers to revolution," and was in direct violation of the anti-propaganda agreement.

## Wheat Quota System

Plan Is Favorably Received By Canadian Grain Exporters

Ottawa, Ont.—Proposals for a quota system in Great Britain for wheat grown in the Empire have apparently been favorably received by Canadian grain exporters. Commenting on the statement made in the British House of Commons by Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, secretary of state for the Dominions, that study was being given to such a scheme, Hon. R. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, said that no unfavorable reaction had been evident in this country.

Proposals for quotas were considered by the committee on economic co-operation at the Imperial Conference, Mr. Stevens said. The committee had concluded that quota systems were feasible, but the minister laid emphasis on the fact that institution of quotas was a matter for legislation by the British government only.

"Another matter that should be made clear," Mr. Stevens said, "is that fixed prices would not be involved, but a quota would merely provide Canadian wheat a sheltered market in Britain."

Asked what protection of Canadian grain might be expected to be provided for under quota, the minister gave the opinion that 25 to 35 per cent. of Canada's exportable surplus would be involved. The operation of a quota would not be responsible for the storage of grain overseas, Mr. Stevens said.

## Viceroy Of India

Name Of Ramsay MacDonald Is Suggested For Office

London, England.—The Daily Mail says a suggestion has been seriously advanced that Premier Ramsay MacDonald become viceroy of India in succession to Lord Irwin, who will retire in April.

The Mail adds that the idea is a result of the good impression which Mr. MacDonald has made in conducting the Indian round table conference. It admits that such an appointment, which customarily is accompanied by a peerage, would appear to be a bit of a joke, but believes the appointment would satisfy the Indian people.

The question of Lord Irwin's successor is a favorite subject for speculation in political quarters just now. Lord Gorrell is most frequently mentioned.

## Five Thousandmen Killed in Town

The Pas, Man.—The settlement of Gillies, more than half-way up the Hudson Bay Railway from The Pas, was threatened by fire, according to word reaching here. A restaurant, a pool room and a general store were wrecked by the flames before it was controlled. Damage totalled \$5,000.

## Big Sum For Defense

Washington, D.C.—The United States will spend \$80,000,000 for national defense in the next fiscal year, if Congress adheres to the budget estimates forwarded by President Hoover.

## Had Outstanding Record

Saskatoon, Sask.—Outstanding success in the \$500,000 fox show was recorded by Dr. R. H. Macdonald, Saskatoon, who won three first and two seconds in the six classes he entered.

## RAMSAY OPPOSES PLAN TO REDUCE WHEAT AREAS

Port Arthur, Ont.—E. B. Ramsay, chief commissioner of the Board of Grain Commissioners of Canada, addressing the Port Arthur Chamber of Commerce at its annual meeting here, said he was not in sympathy with suggestions for a cutting-down of wheat areas of crops in Western Canada, principally because the whole transportation system of Canada depended on the amount of grain moved.

He preferred to rely on greater yield capacity quality and transportation facilities as advantages required by Canadian wheat to capture world markets. Mr. Ramsay also took occasion to say that he did not place too much reliance in resolutions that came from so many sources, declaring that they often went through merely because there was no one ready to oppose them.

He intimated he preferred a personal study of and contact with actual conditions by the board, actuated with a desire to administer the Canada Grain Act in the public interest.

He pointed out the Canadian grain crop was moving freely. There had been no embargo, he said, and he predicted none; and he believed that by July next things would be pretty well cleared up. The worst had been passed, he thought.

It was his opinion Port Arthur and Fort William would not suffer unduly from the competition of the Hudson Bay route. Replying to a suggestion of Mayor Gibson that the head office of the Board of Grain Commissioners should be in Port Arthur, Mr. Ramsay said that if his personal opinion had governed in the matter, they would not be in Winnipeg.

## Constitutes a Precedent

Australia First Dominion To Have Native-Born Governor-General

London, England.—A native-born Australian will succeed Lord Stonehaven, the present governor-general of Australia, in the person of Rt. Hon. Sir Isaac Isaacs, chief justice of the Commonwealth, according to announcement made.

Sir Isaac Isaacs will take up his duties when Lord Stonehaven's term expires at the beginning of the new year.

The announcement of his appointment, made by the Imperial Government, on behalf of His Majesty, constitutes a precedent in Empire annals. The new governor-general will be the first native born citizen of his country to represent the King in any of the Dominions.

While Sir Isaac is in fact the first native-born governor-general of any of the older self-governing dominions, he is not the first in the Empire. Both the governor-general who have served in the Irish Free State since its inception have been of Irish citizenship. Timothy Healy (1922-1928), came from Slattery, and James McNeill, present governor-general, is a native of County Antrim.

## Trans-Canada Drivers Make Slow Progress

Flirting Trip In Motor Car Is Hard Work

Montreal, Ont.—Fishing doggedly forward through northern Ontario bush country in 18 below-zero weather, Healy Needham and Gus McManis climaxed three weeks of discouraging reverse in their attempt to be the first to cross Canada by motor car, when they arrived on December 1 at Goulbourn's trading post at Pigeon River, 80 miles west of here.

Word that in the past week they had covered 70 miles of trackless spruce swamp country was received here. Both men and their roadster are in good condition.

## Should Watch Chinese Markets

Vancouver, B.C.—Greater attention should be given to the market opportunities of Hong Kong and southern China if Canadian business men wish to capitalize these opportunities, said Paul Byron, Canadian trade commissioner to Hong Kong.



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## Wheat Pool Meetings.

An announcement which should prove of great interest to grain raisers of this and neighboring districts at the present time, is that from the headquarters of the Alberta Wheat Pool at Calgary—this is to the effect that a series of meetings in the interests of the wheat growers is to be held—one at Hobbins on Thurs. Dec. 18; and the next here, in Stony, the following evening, Dec. 19. The meetings will be addressed by Mr. Grafton, of the Field Service staff, and Mr. P. E. Sherratt, the delegate from Dist. 8 of the wheat Pool.

## Stony Plain and District

Mr. Otto Hoffman is in an Edmonton hospital this week, having undergone a minor operation.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Weinberg, Haskaw, were visiting this week, in Stony Plain.

Mr. McKinlay on Monday made a shipment of 800 sacks of oats to Hargreaves, at Mt. Robson.

Mr. E. H. Pidgeon, who had been out west with a party of hunters consisting of Cliff O'Brien, Clyde Cliff and Geo. Tyrrel, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. A. E. Michael motored down to Innisfree yesterday, on a business trip.

In Stony Plain, Thursday, Dec. 4, to the wife of Mr. C. Lary, a son.

Prepared Latfish is now on sale at the Royal Cafe. Don't miss getting a portion of this delicious treat!

A very enjoyable evening will be spent on Friday of next week, Dec. 19th, when moving pictures will be shown at Moose Hall.

Don't Forget the dance next Wed. Evg. Dec. 17. For the benefit of the hockey team.

The announcement is made that Lutheran services in English will be resumed at St. Matthew schoolhouse by Rex H. Kuhring, on Sunday Evg. Dec. 21. St. Matthew Choir, under the leadership of Mr. Gus Barth, will be present.

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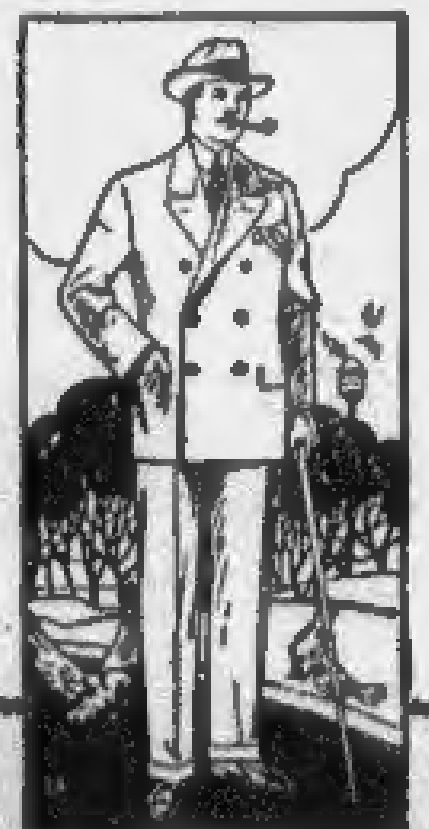
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## Here and There

(444)  
Officially closing the 1950 shipping season as far as toward bound Quebec terminals ships are concerned, Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Australia docked at Annapolis Capital November 21, carrying back from the Imperial Conference Premier Ferguson of Ontario, H. A. Hugg Ontario, Minister of Justice; Hon. C. B. Cohen, Secretary of State, and Hon. Thomas Chagnon, Canadian delegate to the League of Nations.

Dressed poultry shows are being held in Regina on December 10th and in Saskatoon on December 11th for the purpose of arousing friendly competition in poultry production among the farmers of the province and further to advertise the poultry industry, according to W. Waldron, provincial markets commissioner. Mr. Waldron said that money prizes and special awards are to be given at these shows.

Little Julian Vach, of Prince-Ed, B.C., six years of age, has accepted foster parenthood of his 21-year-old sister, Marie, and his 11-month-old brother, Mel, across the Atlantic on Canadian Pacific liner Montcalm, while their father looks back to his wife's home in the mountains. The children were turned over to their grandmother at Chabouy and will be taken to Prague, Czechoslovakia.

Headed by the Rt. Rev. Andre LeBlond, Bishop of Ming Po, China, four priests and eight sisters, composing the largest missionary party to leave Canada for the Far East this year, left recently from Vancouver by S.S. Empress of Asia. They will join missions in Japan and Manchuria as well as China.

That the British and American people should assist the Kuomintang National Government in the continuation of its difficult task of drawing China together, is the opinion of Col. Haley Hall, D.S.O., British Customs Commissioner, late of Timbale, interviewed recently while en route to London, England, by Canadian Pacific Railway. "The brains, military power and general ability are to be found in this Southern Government, and only when China is reorganized will business conditions become stabilized," he added.

It is just 25 years since the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan were created. At that time the population of Alberta was 145,000. It is now about 450,000. Saskatchewan in 1905 had a population of about 195,000; now it is around 347,000. Total area of land under cultivation in Alberta, 25 years ago, was 400,000 acres, and in Saskatchewan, 1,000,000. To-day the two provinces have 14,000,000 and 20,000,000 acres under crop, respectively.

Two big bull moose—one of them one of the finest this year to come out of New Brunswick forests—and six buck deer were the trophies of the hunting party headed by Bob Shawkey, two manager of New York Yankees. Harry Rice, Yankee outfielder; Benny Bonough, former Yankee catcher, now with Milwaukee, and John Kracka, New York sportsman, were the other members of the party and all were successful in getting game.

The Southern Alberta honey crop this year will reach at least 150,000 pounds or almost double what it was a year ago, according to latest advices. The quality this year is said to be very high.

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CHAPTER VII.—Continued.

"You shouldn't feel that way," he went on after a thoughtful moment. "There's nothing in the least crude about you; but sometimes, dear, you're not so—so friendly with folks as I am. Perhaps you're bashful, but I've sometimes thought you'd be misunderstood by strangers. Tonight, you know—really you weren't especially cordial, Gay."

"Was I—impolite?"  
Her voice trembled, and Nick said quickly: "Lord, no! But I couldn't help wishing you'd act more—well the way you act with me."

A queer little smile crossed Gay's face.

"The lady might be surprised, Nick, if I held her hand, or anything like that."

She expected a laugh, but he seemed not to have heard. He sat quite still, watching the shadows cast by the street light across the way. An automobile passed by, going too rapidly, but he took no notice. Two lovers strolled along the sidewalk, trusting the night to hide their maddening arms, and, un-Nick-like, Nick made no comment. He seemed suddenly far away, and Gay moved close again to rest her cheek against his arm.

"It's a ripping night," said Nick. He drew a deep breath—almost a sigh. "I'd like to start right now and walk till sunrise."

Gay's cheek pressed closer.  
"I—I sometimes feel that way, too, Nick; and then I wonder if ever we'll do such things again. I can't of course; but there's no reason in the world why you shouldn't, you dear vagabond."

Nick smiled.  
"The kids are a pretty substantial reason, seems to me, not to mention the bank! A few day's work I'd do tomorrow if I tramped all night." He arose reluctantly. "Come, dear, we must go up to bed. You're tired. Who was it told us that two babies were no more work than one?"  
Whoever it was—she was a cheerful flut, 1—Mark! He sat down suddenly and laid a detaining hand upon her arm. "There's Mrs. Halliday at the piano. She sings like a bird. Let's listen."

It was next day that Mary Maxwell made her call. She gave her report that evening, when she and John sat contentedly rocking on their comfortable ottoman porch.

"It was hot as summer at four o'clock, Johnny," she began. "so I wore my blue voile, and carried a sunshade, the stuffy one Tom sent me for Judy's graduation. I looked real 'fifty,' as Tom, Jr. would say, and up-to-date. I feel sure there was nothing in my appearance for Mrs. Halliday to criticize."

"I'd like to see her try!"  
John's tone was belligerent, and Mary laughed.

"I got my first shock when the door

was opened," she continued. "Who do you suppose opened it?"  
"St. Peter?" suggested her husband hopefully; but Mary was much too interested in her subject to notice this frivolous rejoinder.

"John Nipper! She's there permanently, and Mrs. Halliday's got her all rigged up in a cap and apron. I should have thought she'd read."

"If you refer to Julia, and she wore only a cap and apron," began the listener, when his wife cut in: "John Maxwell, don't try to be funny, or interrupt. It was the black dress I meant—mohair, my dear—long-sleeved—with cuffs, and the thermometer at eighty! I like a well-dressed maid as much as anyone, but I've never yet forgotten that they're flesh and blood like the rest of us; and black, in summer, and long sleeves—"

"It's only May, my dear."  
"Well, May in Baker'sville might be August anywhere else. Anyway, I wanted to scream because Julia looked so funny. She's bobbed her hair, and—"

"Je-hoshaphat!" exclaimed John Maxwell. "She must look—"  
"She does. I told you I wanted to scream. But I didn't. I said, with really remarkable self-control: 'Good-afternoon, Julia. Is your mistress at home?'"

"You mean Mrs. Halliday?" asked Julia. "I heard her say last night that she did hope no more stupid Baker'sville would call; but there ain't nothing stupid about you, Mrs. Maxwell, so I guess she'll see you. You wait, and I'll go find out."

"Oh, Lordy!" chuckled John Maxwell, rocking with mirth. "Oh, Lordy! If that ain't Julia in the life! Well, my dear, were you eligible?"

"Evidently I was. Julia left me at the door, but I went into the living-room myself, to save the girl a scolding in case Mrs. Halliday saw fit to receive me. Oh, Johnny! you should see that room! Whatever else the woman is, she knows how to arrange a house. White paint—soft gray walls—a few fine water colors to brighten things—comfortable chairs—a beautiful piano at the north end—soft-shaded lamps—"

"Look here," interrupted John Maxwell suddenly, "are you making an inventory for the insurance man?"

"I could," answered his wife decidedly. "I saw everything there. I had plenty of time. I waited twenty minutes. The draperies—"

"Cut out the draperies, my dear, and come to the women. It's she who interests me."

"Well, my dear John, most men would have found her interesting. She wore a blue Japanese silk that matched her eyes so perfectly that you could see nothing else. Her hair—well, in these days of bobs it was really noticeable, and unless she keeps a maid to do it for her, she has my sympathy! Yet it looked simple. Any man would have called it simple—except her husband. She wore silver slippers, John—in the afternoon—in Baker'sville! Her stockings—"

"I understood," said John Maxwell with a touch of good-natured sarcasm, "that you saw nothing but her eyes. What did she say?"

"She made a very pretty apology for keeping me waiting. It seems that after lunch she 'relaxed' until four-thirty. How does one relax, John? I doubt if I've ever done it. But it sounded delightful. I wondered if she made Julia relax too! I admired the house, and she seemed gratified. It was the garden, however, that brought them to Baker'sville. She adores gardens and growing things (with the exception of children, I gathered later!). Nature is rather a hobby with her—a poem, if I'm not mistaken; though her eyes (childlike and bland doesn't half describe them, Johnny), tells my judgment."

"She offered to show me the garden. When I accepted she touched a bell and Julia appeared. Poor Julia! She cast an apologetic glance at me, John, and—bobbed a curtsy! Imagine it! Julia Nipper, who's gone out by the day to everyone in Baker'sville for the last ten years, bobbing a curtsy. It must be some new idea. And Mrs. Halliday said: 'Julia, we'll have tea in the pergola,' and Julia bobbed again and scuttled out of the room."

"Telling her bobbed hair with her, I suppose," supplemented John Maxwell. "Go on."

"I'd go on faster if you didn't make such ridiculous additions to my story. We went outside, through a beautiful new French door, Johnny, and just as we reached the pergola Mr. Halliday came out of the garage. He saw me

too late to dodge, which was his evident desire, so she had to present him."

"Do you know, John Maxwell, for a moment I felt sorry for that woman, tied to such a bombstone of a man; but when I left, the shoe was on the other foot. I was sorry for him."

"How we're jelling of the facts," John Maxwell drew a satisfied breath, and his wife laughed.

"We've been getting at them all the time," she said pityingly, "only you're too dense to see it. Don't you know that a woman's house is her temple—that nothing in it is too trivial to have some meaning? That living-room now—for all its dainty touches (it's a room a man would adore: big chairs, you know, and lights just right for reading and—"

"In mercy's name don't return to that living-room," exclaimed John Maxwell. "Get back to the pergola, and what made you sorry for Mr. Halliday?"

"Well, I can hardly explain it, but when he was introduced she almost ignored him; though to justice to her I'll admit that he didn't seem to care, and he kept looking at her in a perfectly maddening way, as much as to say, 'What new pose is this. I should like to know?' He did start to leave us once, but just then Julia appeared with a tea wagon."

"Did she ask Julia to pour tea?" queried John Maxwell innocently.

His wife threw him a withering glance; then she shook with mirth.

"It was a joke on me, John, but for just a second I thought it was a baby carriage! I didn't think they had children, but—"

"They haven't. Nick tells me that children would interfere with their careers."

(To Be Continued.)

## Varieties Are Numerous

**Japanese Glad To Secure Chrysanthemum Grows In Canada**

The flower of gold, or the golden flower, for this is the literal meaning of the word chrysanthemum, may have been a term appropriate enough when it was first cultivated in the orient, but now its application is dubious. Horticulturists, and particularly those in the west, have developed so many shades and varieties that they almost range across the spectrum. When the chrysanthemum was first introduced into Canada we do not know, but it is less than 200 years since the first blooms of this plant were admired as a curiosity in Kew gardens, London, England. Probably the chrysanthemum came to Canada about the time that it reached the United States, in 1861, then in the throes of the civil war. But since that date the varieties developed on this continent have been so diverse and so numerous that the Japanese have been delighted to secure them. We have become so accustomed to chrysanthemum shows that it is not easy to realize that the first show among the English-speaking peoples was staged in Norwich only 161 years ago.

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## Wisdom Of St. Swithin

**Men Of Helping Poor People Could Be Used Today**

Among the achievements of St. Swithin was the creation of a kind of poor law to meet the needs of his time. This was an ordinance that every ten families should be responsible for keeping one poor person. There can be little doubt that such "union" of ten families was to it that work was found as quickly as possible for their ward, and that he was taken off this eighth century dole at the earliest possible moment. Public opinion in every village in those days was less diluted with lumberness for the wifely idle than it is today.

**Minard's Liniment Still Here Fast.**

**Will Use Western Coal**  
Contracts have been awarded by the Manitoba Government for 20,000 tons of coal, costing \$153,025. Hon. W. R. Clark, Minister of Public Works has announced. Only Western Canadian coal will be used, he said.

## Man-Oxen In Northern Canada

**Between Nine and Ten Thousand Animals In The North**  
Between 9,000 10,000 man-oxen roam the northern islands and mainland of Canada, according to the estimate of W. H. B. Moore, of the Department of the Interior, whose report of his examination of the Thelon game sanctuary east of Great Slave Lake has just been issued by the Northwest Territories and Yukon Branch. Mr. Moore spent two years in the north, 1926 and 1927.

Canada and Greenland are the only countries in the world where at present the man-ox is to be found in its natural state. It equals in size one of the small breeds of Welsh and Scotch cattle and in appearance resembles a small buffalo.

There are 150 of the animals in the Thelon sanctuary, while Mr. Moore believes the greatest herd is on Melville Island where 4,000 herd roam today. He estimates about 1,000 man-oxen in North and West Greenland.

R. M. Anderson, chief of the biological division of the National Museum in an appendix to the report, gives a higher estimate, stating Canadian herds total 12,000 animals and Greenland 1,500.

## Road Gravelled To Park

**Highway From Prince Albert To National Park Is Now Completed**

The highway from Prince Albert to the Prince Albert National Park is now as all gravelled, all weather road, while the graveling from Saskatoon to Prince Albert is rapidly approaching completion. This was the statement made at the quarterly meeting of the Prince Albert Board of Trade, when great satisfaction was expressed at this accomplishment, which it is anticipated, will be of great value to this city.

P. W. Mahon, chairman of the transportation committee, commented at length on the benefits accruing to Prince Albert through the highway, and stated that while it was an expensive undertaking yet he believed it was a forward step.

Satisfaction at the possibility of developing a power unit at the Big Bend on the Saskatchewan River was also expressed. Hydro power from this source within the next few years in quantities sufficient to supply the province was visualized.

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## Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

### DATE BARS

- 1 cup stoned dates.
- 1 cup nut meats.
- 1 cup powdered sugar.
- 3 eggs.
- 1 tablespoon melted butter.
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice.
- 4 tablespoons flour.
- 1/2 teaspoon salt.

Put dates and nuts through food chopper. Add sugar and beaten eggs and mix well. Add melted butter, lemon juice, flour and salt and mix thoroughly. Spread evenly in a greased shallow pan, having mixture one-fourth inch deep. Bake in a moderate oven, 225 degrees Fahrenheit, about 20 minutes. Cut in strips and roll in powdered sugar while hot.

### CRANBERRY MARMALADE

- 1 jarbent tablet.
- 1 tablespoon cold water.
- 1 cup cranberry jelly or marmalade.
- 1 pint milk.
- 2 tablespoons sugar.
- 1/2 teaspoon vanilla.

Prepare the jarbent according to directions on package. Pour at once into individual dessert glasses and let stand undisturbed in a warm room until firm—about 10 minutes. Then chill. When ready to serve add cranberry jelly or marmalade to each dish. A topping of sweetened whipped cream may be put over the cranberry if desired.

**Minard's Liniment For All Pains.**

## Flaky Pie Crust

The secret of making good pie crust is: "Use Purity Flour—and keep the dough dry!" Try this recipe—for 3 shells:

3 cups Purity Flour 1 egg  
1/2 teaspoon salt 1 egg yolk  
METHOD: Mix the flour and salt, sifting in half the remaining egg, and mix in the dry mix, gradually adding more quantity of water but not a drop more. Use less water, if you can, and the pie crust will be even better.

Turn out on board, roll lightly sprinkled with Purity Flour, roll about 1/4 inch thick. Spread balance of remaining egg, dough, fold over drive, tips and roll again to required thickness. Bake in hot oven (400°).

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## Little Helps For This Week

"He which soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully."—2 Corinthians ix. 6.

All life is seed dropped in Time's yawning furrow.

Which with slow sprout and shoot, in the revolving world's unfathomed morrow.

With blossoms and bear fruit.

—Mathilde Blind.

When I sow my good treasure broadcast as Christ did, when I give myself with what I am giving—then, as the earth never fails of her harvest, but in the old world or the new will surely bring us our daily bread, so the seed can never fail of her divine returns. Now or yonder, in the full time comes the full blessing; the flower blushing out glory, the seeds laughing with plenty.

—Robert Collyer.

A safe and sure medicine for a child troubled with worms is Mother Graves' Worm Expeller.

## Norway Secures Island

**Claim To Island Off Greenland Coast Is Recognized By Great Britain**

It is officially announced that Great Britain has recognized the Norwegian claim to the island of Jan Mayen, a desolate land lying between Greenland and North Norway in the Arctic sea. Norway's claim to sovereignty was put forward in a royal decree dated last May 8.

In general it is accepted that the island was discovered by Henry Hudson, British navigator, in 1497.

The island is 24 miles long and nine miles wide at its greatest breadth.



## Daughter Is Stronger Now

"My daughter Catherine is fifteen years old. She was very irregular, often sick at her stomach, and had to stay in bed two or three days at a time. One of your booklets was sent to us by mail so I got her a bottle of Vegetable Compound. Catherine has been taking it regularly and she is gaining in weight and every way. I told the neighbors and four other girls are taking it with good results."—Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Box 14, Thomson, Ontario.

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TO THE VICTOR THE GOVIL

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Yours, HENRY H' OAK.

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### Hockey News.

A meeting of senior hockey enthusiasts was held Monday night in Miller's Hall, when it was decided to join the Intermediate League of Edmonton—the league the senior team belonged to last season. Joe McGillivray was in the chair, and a fairly good crowd was present. Two hats was passed around and a sum sufficient on which to start operations was contributed.

### Knights of the Scissors.

The local crop of whiskers promised to be no good, apparently, this season, the tonorial artists must have sent out a call for help. In answer to the call, Mr. Henry Guebel, a well known barber, opened his shop yesterday in the old postoffice building. This, with the added help of Barber Trapp, who recently re-opened his shop, should have met the emergency. This week also sees the opening of a beauty parlor for ladies in the Kelly building, opposite The Sun office.

To meet the needs of the present times, when every thing has been marked down to rock bottom prices, Barber Trapp announces a big reduction in the prices of tonorial service. While his sale of haircuts is on, we believe it will be possible to get a hair trim and shave for less than the former price of a haircut alone.

### The Radio Menace

Quick action has been taken on the application by the town council for an investigation into the alleged interference the power company's transformers make with the local radio receiving sets. The investigators paid the town a visit on Tuesday, and consisted of Inspector Allan, the radio interference man appointed by the Dept. of Marine & Fisheries for the province of Alberta; Mr. J. H. Macdonald, in charge of the Edmonton office of the Calgary Power Co.; and Mr. Johnson, the service man in this district for the same company. A thorough investigation was made of the situation by the parties mentioned, and a report from these may be expected in a short time.



SHOP EARLY

### Card of Thanks.

Mr. W. C. Williams wishes to thank residents of Holborn and neighboring districts for their prompt response at the time of the fire on his premises, Saturday, Nov. 22.

### Church Services.

Services in St. Philip's Church next Sunday, 10.00 a.m.  
On Sunday, Dec. 21, English Lutheran services at St. Matthew Schoolhouse at 7.30 p.m.  
United Church service every Sunday Evg. at 7.30.

### Heard at the Court.

Magistrate—The next person who interrupts the proceedings of this court will be sent home Prisoner—Hooray!

### Mike Says:

I notice that the most popular colors at Christmastide are the long green and holly green. Imagination is a wonderful thing—it can make a man think it's not lucky to give presents.

### Railway Time Table

Going East—Every morning at 6.23.  
Going West—Every midnight at 24.13.

### Schedule of MAIL

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From West—Mon., Wed., Friday mornings.  
To the East—Every morning except Sunday.  
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Victoria, Canada's evergreen playground, offers a striking contrast to the rest of the Dominion during the winter months, for while all other parts of the country are blanketed in snow, summer never really leaves its domination there. The climate is so mild that all kinds of sports, usually subject to seasonal limitations elsewhere in Canada, are all-the-year-round recreation, and the beautiful setting of Vancouver Island never loses its charm. Victoria is essentially beautiful, as the accompanying pictures show: (1) The Empress Hotel, the Canadian Pacific Railway's imposing hostelry, headquarters of all social and sporting events and scenes of thousands who wish to escape the rigors of the prairie winter. (2) The "gallery" at the Crystal Gardens, watching. (3) Bathing in its swimming pool. (4) Butchart's Gardens, once a quarry, but now one of the finest gardens in the world. (5) The famous Malahat Drive, winding for miles through beautiful mountains, and (6) A golfer, driving off at the 11th tee.



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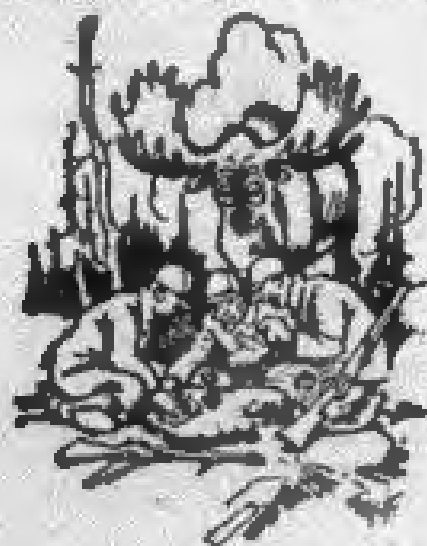
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21—Dance at Moose Hall.

## Hockey News.

A meeting of senior hockey enthusiasts was held Monday night in Miller's Hall, when it was decided to join the Intermediate League of Edmonton—the league the senior team belonged to last season. Jac McGillis was in the chair, and a fairly good crowd was present. The hat was passed around and a sum sufficient on which to start operations was contributed.

## Knights of the Scissors.

The local crop of whiskers promised to be so good, apparently, this season, the tonsorial artists must have sent out a call for help! In answer to the call, Mr Henry Gombel, a well known barber, opened his shop yesterday in the old postoffice building. This, with the added help of Barber Trapp, who recently re-opened his shop, should have met the emergency. This week also sees the opening of a beauty parlor for ladies in the Kelly building, opposite The Sun office.

To meet the needs of the present times, when every thing has been marked down to rock bottom prices, Barber Trapp announces a big reduction in the prices of tonsorial service. While his sale of haircuts is on, we believe it will be possible to get a hair trim and shave for less than the former price of a haircut alone.

## The Radio Menace

Quick action has been taken on the application by the town council for an investigation into the alleged interference the power company's transformers make with the local radio receiving sets. The investigators paid the town a visit on Tuesday, and consisted of Inspector Allan, the radio interference man appointed by the Dept. of Marine & Fisheries for the province of Alberta; Mr J H MacDonald, in charge of the Edmonton office of the Calgary Power Co.; and Mr Johnson, the service man in this district for the same company. A thoro investigation was made of the situation by the parties mentioned, and a report from these may be expected in a short time.



SHOP EARLY

## Card of Thanks.

Mr W C Williams wishes to thank residents of Holborn and neighboring districts for their prompt response at the time of the fire on his premises, Saturday, Nov. 22.

## Church Services.

Services in St. Philip's Church next Sunday, 10.00 a.m.  
On Sunday, Dec. 21, English Lutheran services at St. Matthew Schoolhouse at 7.30 p.m.  
United Church services every Sunday Evg. at 7.30.

## Heard at the Court.

Magistrate—The next person who interrupts the proceedings of this court will be sent home.  
Prisoner—Hooley!

## Mike Says:

I notice that the most popular colors at Christmastide are the long green and holly green. Imagination is a wonderful thing—it can make a man think it's not lucky to give presents.

## Railway Time Table

Going East—Every morning at 6.24.  
Going West—Every midnight at 24.13.

## Schedule of Mails.

From the East—Every midnight except Saturday.  
From West—Mon., Wed., Friday mornings.  
To the East—Every morning except Sunday.  
To West—Sun., Tues. & Friday midnight.

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## VICTORIA EVERGREEN PLAYGROUND



Victoria, Canada's evergreen playground, offers a striking contrast to the rest of the Dominion during the winter months, for while all other parts of the country are blanketed in snow, summer never really leaves its domination there. The climate is so mild that all kinds of sports, usually subject to seasonal limitations elsewhere in Canada are all-the-year-round recreation, and the beautiful setting of Vancouver Island never loses its charm. Victoria is essentially beautiful, as the accompanying pictures show: (1) The Empress Hotel, the Canadian Pacific Railway's imposing hostelry, headquarters of all social and sporting events and Mecca of thousands who wish to escape the rigors of the prairie winter. (2) The "gallery" at the Crystal Gardens, watching. (3) Bathing in its swimming pool. (4) Butchart's Gardens, once a quarry, but now one of the finest gardens in the world. (5) The famous Malahat Drive, winding for miles through beautiful mountains, and (6) A golfer, driving off at the 7th tee.